



CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Presentation to Adopt-A-Child and Lodi Mervyn's representatives for the successful August 9, 1997 Back to School Child Shopping Spree

MEETING DATE: September 3, 1997

SUBMITTED BY: Deputy City Manager

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council acknowledge the hard work and dedication exhibited by the Lodi Adopt-A-Child organization and Mervyn's representatives for the Child Spree Program.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Lodi Adopt-A-Child held its third annual back-to-school Child Spree event at the Lodi Mervyn's Store on Saturday, August 9, 1997. Sixty-three school children were treated to a \$100 shopping spree as a result of the hard work and dedication by a group of people committed to helping underprivileged children in Lodi. The program affords children the opportunity to go back to school feeling confident in their appearance as well as being dressed appropriately for classroom learning.

Members of the Lodi Adopt-A-Child organization have once again demonstrated an outpouring of generosity by dedicating their time, resources, and enthusiasm for the 1997 Child Spree event.

Representatives from the Adopt-A-Child organization and Mervyn's will be in attendance at the City Council meeting to receive a *Certificate of Appreciation* from Mayor Pennino.

FUNDING: None.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Janet S. Keeter
Deputy City Manager

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APPROVED: _____

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H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager